

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
OXFORD DIVISION**

**JAMES KEEL**

**PETITIONER**

**v.**

**No. 3:21CV226-GHD-JMV**

**MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT  
OF CORRECTIONS, ET AL.**

**RESPONDENTS**

**FINAL JUDGMENT**

In accordance with the memorandum opinion issued today in this cause, the instant petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* is **DISMISSED** with prejudice for want of substantive merit and as procedurally defaulted. In addition, the petitioner's request for an evidentiary hearing is **DENIED**.

**SO ORDERED**, this, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022.

  
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SENIOR JUDGE